**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**
**ABSTRACT**

Municipal Administration & Urban Development Department – Extending the benefit of payment of pensions also to the retired employees w.e.f 01/04/2019 in addition to the salaries of the employees of Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation (GVMC) and Vijayawada Municipal Corporation (VMC) through Government Treasuries under Detailed Head of Account 2071 Pensions - Orders - Issued.

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**MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (D1) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Ms.No.114** **Dated:09.03.2019**
**Read the following:-**

1. G.O.Ms.No.179, MA&UD (G1) Dept., Dated 25/02/2009.
2. G.O.Ms.No.300, MA&UD (G1) Dept., Dated 02/05/2009.
3. G.O.Ms.No.81, MA&UD (D1) Dept., Dated 15/02/2019.
4. Representation received from the President & General Secretary, The Andhra Pradesh Municipal Ministerial Employees Association, Amaravati, Dated 18.02.2019.
5. Representations received from the Chairman, AP JAC Amaravati, Dated 18.02.2019.

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**ORDER:-**

In the G.O. 1st read above, orders were issued for Payment of Salaries and Pensions to the Employees, Teachers and Pensioners of Municipalities / Municipal Corporations except Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation and Municipal Corporation of Vijayawada under detailed head of account '010 Salaries' through Treasuries with effect from 01/04/2009 in lieu of statutory and nonstatutory grants to be released to these Urban Local Bodies. It was also mentioned therein that operational guidelines for payment of salaries /pensions to the Municipal employees including Municipal teachers will be issued separately.

2. In the G.O. 2nd read above, operational guidelines were issued for payment of salaries and pensions and other retirement benefits to the municipal employees / teachers through treasuries under detailed Head 010 salaries and to the head of account 2071 pensions respectively on par with Government employees.

3. In the G.O. 3rd read above, orders were issued for payment of salaries of the employees of the Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation (GVMC) and Vijayawada Municipal Corporation (VMC) under Detailed Head 010 salaries as was done earlier in case of the other Municipalities and Municipal Corporations in the State.

4. In the references 4th & 5th read above, representations received from Andhra Pradesh Municipal Ministerial Employees Association and A.P. JAC Amaravati for extending the benefit of payment of pensions also w.e.f. 01-04-2019 to the retired employees in addition to the salaries of the employees of Vijayawada Municipal Corporation and Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation from Government Treasury under Detailed Head of Account 2071 Pensions at the earliest, on par with all the other Municipalities / Municipal Corporations in the State of Andhra Pradesh.

5. Government have examined the matter in consultation with the Finance Department and accordingly hereby decides to extend the benefit of payment of

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pensions also to the retired employees w.e.f.01.04.2019 in addition to the salaries of the employees of Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation and Vijayawada Municipal Corporation from Government Treasury under Detailed Head of Account 2071 Pensions, on par with all the other Municipalities / Municipal Corporations in the State of Andhra Pradesh.

6. Accordingly, Government hereby order for payment of pensions to the retired employees of Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation and Vijayawada Municipal Corporation under detailed Head of Account "2071 Pensions" through the Government Treasury with effect from 01/04/2019 in lieu of statutory and non– statutory grants to be released to these urban local bodies.

7. Necessary amendments to the Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation (GVMC) Act and Vijayawada Municipal Corporation (VMC) Act, A.P.Tax on Professions Act and A.P.Stamps and Registration Act and also clarifications/ instructions on foregoing statutory and non-statutory grants will be issued separately.

8. The existing operational guidelines for payment of Salaries of employees and Teachers in Municipalities & Municipal Corporations issued in G.O. 2nd read above and amendments issued thereon, shall applicable in this regard, mutatis-mutandis and these guidelines shall be effected from 01/04/2019.

9. The Commissioner and Director of Municipal Administration shall take further necessary action in the matter.

10. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (FMUEFS&T, MA&UD & CRDA) Department, vide their U.O.No.44027/143/2017 (Computer No.217034), Dated:08/03/2019 and General Administration (Elections) Department, Dated: 09.03.2019.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**R.KARIKAL VALAVEN**
**SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

**To**
The Director of Municipal Administration, A.P, Guntur.
The Commissioner, Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, Visakhapatnam.
The Commissioner, Vijayawada Municipal Corporation, Vijayawada.
The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad.
The Director of Treasures and Accounts, A.P., Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada.
The Director of State Audit, A.P, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada.
The General Administration (Cabinet) Department.
The Finance (FMU-EFS&T,MA&UD,CRDA) Department.

**Copy to:-**
The P.S. to Spl.Chief Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister.
The P.S. to Minister (Finance)
The P.S. to the Minister for MA&UD.
The P.S. to Principal Secretary (MA&UD) Department.
The P.S. to Spl. Chief Secretary to Government, Finance Department.
The P.S. to Secretary, Finance (FP).
The President/General Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Municipal Ministerial Employees Association, Amaravati.
The Chairman, AP JAC Amaravati.
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**//FORWARDED BY ORDER//**

**SECTION OFFICER**